

Arbor Day Exercises Are Held By Pupils Of Halehaku School

Arbor Day exercises were held at Halehaku School on Arbor Day, November 17, and about 150 children gathered on the spacious lawns of the school building. The school now numbers 170 pupils and the teaching staff is composed of Miss Rachel Kikuna, principal; Mrs. A. V. Crockett and Misses C. Emmisley and V. Kaiapa. The program for the exercises was as follows:

Song—Arbor Day Grade II
Recitation—Origin of Trees Minohi Kikuchi
Recitation—Arbor Day Todashi Okada
Song—Bring the Pick Grades III-VI
Quotation—Plant Trees Asako Matsushima
Song—Under the Trees Grades III-VI

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Quotation—The Tree Grade II
Song—The Little Tree Grade II
Quotation—He Who Plants a Tree Kikue Kikuchi
Song—In a Garden Grades III-VI
Recitation—Planting the Mango Tree Grades V-VI
Song—Mango Tree Grade Rec. I
Recitation—The Best Tree Yoshiko Nakamura
Song—Cocoa Palm Grades Rec. I
Games—Mulberry Tree All

After the exercises were concluded the Sixth Grade planted the tree, then the school formed in rings by grades and sang and danced around it. The other grades planted hibiscus slips to make a hedge.

Seek "Master Mind" In Jewel Robberies Throughout Europe

LONDON—(By Associated Press Mail)—The police are seeking in this city the head of what is said to be a remarkable group of international criminals. A veritable "Napoleon of Crime" is believed to have established his headquarters here. He is alleged to command a well organized band of international crooks, every one of whom is a past master of every form of nefarious graftsmanship known in the underworld. They include men of education, scientific attainments, and social charm. Under the leadership of their mysterious chief they are credited with conducting burglaries, cracking safes, and committing costly jewel robberies that baffle detection. They are declared to work in accordance with plans of campaign prepared by the master mind with all the skill of a great military strategist. Several papers print this story with varying degrees of sensationalism. Of late there has been an increasing number of jewel robberies. As a result an insurance company which insures

a good deal of valuable jewelry has increased its premiums charged on this class of risks by 25 percent. J. W. Bell one of London's leading assessors, says that many recent big robberies have been so well planned and executed that the police can do little more than suspect the authors. "The people who engineer these crimes are not the common, ordinary type of thief," Mr. Bell says. "There is more than one real raffles in existence today. They haunt society gatherings, and in the hotels they are popular guests."

"I know one man who has a town address, a country house near Bourne-mouth, and two fine motor-cars, who is more than suspected of complicity in some of these great robberies, but up to the present time there has never been the slightest chance of connecting him with any of them."

"He is of good appearance, always well-dressed, and would, in the ordinary way, be accepted as a guest at the houses of wealthy people."

"I know one instance in which a director of thieves is reputed to be worth \$150,000. Another successful director is a woman who has a university education, and is a cultured and charming personality. "The victims, both in hotels and at private houses are often watched and shadowed for days before a suitable opportunity for the robbery occurs. It may easily cost \$1,000 or \$1,500 to meet the expenses of a successful haul, and the big thieves require frequent robberies to maintain themselves."

Too Familiar

Hail, four years old, and been going to Sunday school for some time, when his teacher one Sunday asked the class: "Who wants to go to Heaven?" and all hands went up but Hail's. The teacher asked: "You do not want to go to Heaven?" and Hail answered: "No, thank you." Teacher asked why, and Hail replied: "It has not been long since I came from there."—Asa Bennett, in the Wilmington News.

On the Other Islands

Kauai Telephone company changed its headquarters from the old building to a new structure in Lihue. Work of moving started at 2:00 a. m., and most of the lines were working at 10 o'clock the same morning.

Kekaha Sugar Company on Kauai is making extensive improvements in its plant. The new equipment being installed includes 16 crystallizers and two new pans.

J. B. Corstorphine of Kealia was elected commander of Kauai Post No. 2, American Legion, at the last meeting of that organization. Ben Henderson and C. L. Lane were chosen vice-commanders; Hib Case, adjutant and Henry Santos, finance officer. Jack Catton was elected sergeant-at-arms; Charley Dole chaplain and Wanda Cheek historian.

The Hilo Board of Supervisors last week was asked to take over the remaining debts on the stables at Hoolulu Park. Dr. Milton Rice, president of the board of trade points out the stables will be turned over to the county and should be sold for taxes.

Delegates to the Ninth Civic Convention in Honolulu, are completing plans for leaving Hilo for Honolulu next week.

A large contingent of soldiers, under the command of Col. Landers, was encamped at the Kilauea camp last week.

Rev. George H. DeKay, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Hawaii, is spending a number of weeks on the Big Island, urging the furthering of prohibition measures.

The British cruiser Cape Town, is due at Hilo, December 14, according to definite advices received today. Athletic sports are to be arranged in honor of the event.

Members of the Hilo Teachers' union held their annual convention Friday, November 17, in the assembly room of the Hilo High School. Prominent men and women of the Big Island spoke at the gathering.

Figures recently compiled in Hilo show that the deaths for the year to number 259 of which 72 were children under one year of age and 22 children under the age of five. The total mortality for the entire territory for the period ending June 30 was 4113.

Considerable lava has been noticed in the crater of Kilauea since recent earthquake shocks. According to P. T. Phillips, manager of the Volcano House, past performances have indicated that there may be a "good show" at Kilauea for Thanksgiving Day.

The most pronounced tremor in recent years was registered on the island of Hawaii last Monday morning, according to kamaainas of Hilo. It was felt in all portions of the island but no material damage was reported.

A. K. Aona, clerk of the circuit court in Hilo, has written to Federal Attorney William T. Carden relative to the recent ruling on citizenship, following the request of two men who are seeking the reason for the loss of citizenship rights through marriage.

Delegate-elect William P. Jarrett will be entertained Thanksgiving Day with an elaborate luau in Hilo. Jarrett and Mrs. Jarrett are making an extensive tour of the island at that time.

Market Prices

(From Extension Letter of Nov. 21)	
Beef (dressed weight)—	
Steers, good quality, per lb.	16-17c
Cows, good quality, per lb.	15-16c
Heifers, good quality, per lb.	16-17c
Veal, good quality, per lb.	16-17c
Mutton (dressed weight)—	
Wethers, good quality, per lb.	16-16c
Ewes, good quality, per lb.	14-15c
Pork (live weight)—	
100 to 175 lbs. per lb.	25c
over 175 lbs. first class, per lb.	20c
Poultry (live weight)—	
Stew chicken per lb.	45c
Broilers, friers, 1-1½ lbs. per lb.	60c
Roasters, 3 lbs. up per lb.	60c
Ducks, young per lb.	25c
Ducks, old per lb.	25c
Squabs each	25c
Turkeys per lb.	55c
Rabbits per lb.	15c
Eggs (Island) per doz.	90c-1.00
Produce and Fruits	
Bananas (Chinese) per lb.	2-3c
Apple bananas per lb.	2-2½c
Cabbage per lb.	2-4c
Cucumbers per doz.	40-75c
Egg plant per lb.	2c
Grapes, Isabella per lb.	2c
Green pepper (bell) per lb.	4-6c
Lily root per lb.	7c
Oranges (Island) per 100	\$2.50
Papayas each	5-25c
Pears (avocado) each	5-25c
Pineapples per 100 lbs.	\$3.00
Pohas per lb.	12½c
Potatoes, sweet per 100 lbs.	\$1-1.25
Squash (Chinese) young per lb.	4c
Squash (Chinese) mature, per lb.	2½c
String beans per lb.	4c
Sweet corn, per 100 ears	\$2.25-3
Taro (table use) per lb.	2½-3c
Tomatoes (small) per lb.	2½-3c
Tomatoes (large) per lb.	4-6c
Watermelons per lb.	12c
Rice	
New crop rice prices quoted as follows locally:	
Hawaiian rice, per 100 lbs.	\$5.25-5.50
Japan seed rice per 100 lbs.	\$4.75
Island Eggs	
The Poultry Association is to be commended for holding the price of Island eggs below what might be without their influence in the market. Some dealers are charging \$1.20 for eggs, but the Association price is held at \$1.00.	
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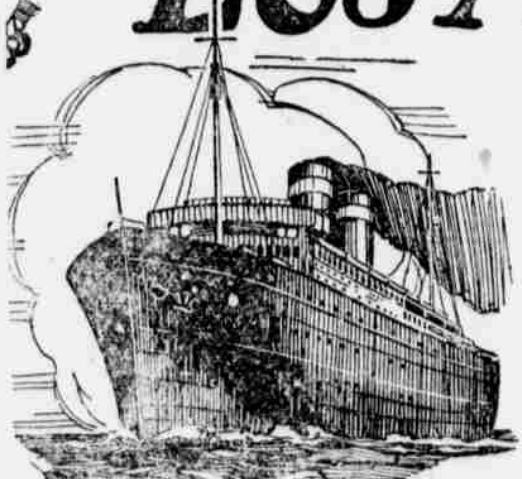
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